

FEBRUARY 2001

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brighter

NEW CD AND DATES FOR INTENSIFIED

Traditional ska/reggae band INTENSIFIED play their first gigs of 2001 when they head off to Germany for dates at the Burgerhaus Bilk in Dusseldorf (Thursday February 1st, with ALPHA BOY SCHOOL), the Labor in Hannover (Friday February 2nd, with DOWNBEAT SNAPPER) and the Tango Bar in Leipzig (Saturday February 3rd, with SCRAFACE, DR WOGGLE and his RADIO, and THE HICCUPS).

They return to headline a ska/punk all-dayer at the Camden Underworld in London on Sunday February 18th which runs from 2pm-11pm. Also on the bill are MOUTHWASH, PAMA, MUTLY'S DASTARDLY SKAM, FAT JABBA, 4FT FINGERS, THE SPLITTERS, PROPAGUMBHIS, BRODIE and THE CHEAPSKATES.

Tickets are available from Stargreen on 020 7734 8932, the Underworld Box Office on 020 7482 1932 and the Merc in Carnaby St on 020 743 97750.

You can find out more about the gig by visiting sean@chillcity.co.uk

INTENSIFIED also have a new double CD out on Grover Records called "Cut 'n' Shut" which features a mixture of studio rarities and live tracks from their 10th anniversary party which was held at Stripes Club in Folkestone last September.

UPSTAIRS AT THE GARAGE

ORANGE STREET, CROY and JO HOOK play Upstairs at the Garage in London's Highbury Corner on Tuesday February 13th.

Two coaches are running to the gig. One leaves Folkestone bus station at 6pm and Red Lion Square in Hythe at 6.15pm.

The other coach leaves from Canterbury Motor Company at 6pm and from the Granada Motorway Services, off the M2, at 6.40pm.

Call Richard on 01303 276517 (home) / 01303 771245 (work) to book your place.

SHED SEVEN AT WINTER GARDENS

SHED SEVEN return to Kent to play the Winter Gardens in Margate on Thursday April 5th. Call the Box Office on 01843 292795 for ticket details.

There is a 24-hour credit card hotline on 0115 912 9000 or you can buy on-line at www.gigsandtours.com

Another point of contact is www.shedseven.net

LEAS CLIFF HALL

JESTER, THE REMAINS and SLIDER play the latest three-band special at the Leas Cliff Hall in Folkestone on Saturday February 10th which promises to be a night of punk mayhem.

And the local rock fraternity will be out in force when former Free and Bad Company frontman PAUL RODGERS plays the Leas on Saturday February 24th. Support comes from ASIA.

THE LEVELLERS return to the Leas on Friday March 9th, while BEDOUIN (featuring members of Hawkwind) are at the Leas on Saturday March 24th, supported by UNCOOL FRANK.

Call the Box Office on 01303 253193 for ticket details.

The Leas Cliff Hall is now online @ www.leascliffhall.co.uk

JESTER warm up for the Leas with a date at the Happy Frenchman in Folkestone on Saturday February 3rd. They then play the Archer in Whitfield on Saturday February 17th, the Legion in Aylesham on Friday February 23rd and the Louis Armstrong in Dover on Saturday February 24th.

THURSDAY NIGHTS AT GEE'S

Gigs continue on Thursday nights at Gee's with rock covers from THE LITTLE ROCK BAND on February 1st, a return appearance from PEPPERFISH, with support from A.M.P. on February 8th, HALFWAY HOUSE on February 15th, traditional heavy rock from PUMPACTION on February 22nd, HART and SARLES (from Nebraska) on Thursday March 1st and PEPPERFISH again on Thursday March 8th.

PEPPERFISH also play at the New Inn, Sandwich on Tuesday February 13th; the Ship in Folkestone on Saturday February 17th, Churchills in Ramsgate on Sunday February 25th and the Star in Lydd on Friday March 2nd.

BAND NIGHT AT STRIPES

Art metal act GLASS ELEVATOR – now a four-piece with the inclusion of Dan Lucas (ex Cipher) – play at Stripes Club in Folkestone on Friday February 16th. Also on the bill are CIPHER and HINDSIGHT (featuring Ken, formerly with Ashford hardcore bands Earshot and Flipside).

Stripes Club is the social club of Folkestone Invicta Football Club on Cheriton Road in between the Harvey Grammar School and Safeways.

Contact 9 Gainsborough Close, Folkestone, Kent CT19 5NB

FEBRUARY GIG GUIDE

THUR FEB 1st

THE LITTLE ROCK BAND
Gee's, Sandgate

ASERE (from Cuba)
The Forum, Tunbridge Wells

CAMINE
Oranges, Ashford

JELLY BEAN
Beacon Court, Gillingham

MEN IN WHITE COATS
Thistle & Shamrock, Folkestone

FRI FEB 2nd

6Ts
Happy Frenchman, Folkestone

PINK SIDE OF THE MOON
Beacon Court, Gillingham

SUNBLEACHED BONES
Harp Club, Folkestone

MAD HATTERS
Royal Albion, Maidstone

EASYCHEESE
Simple Simons, Canterbury

ZAMBU
The Britannia, Margate

LITTLE ALLIGATORS
Swingate Inn, Deal Road, Dover

SAT FEB 3rd

JESTER
Happy Frenchman, Folkestone

DIESEL GANG
Beacon Court, Gillingham

SHILLELAGH
Crown & Anchor, S. Willesborough

JOE COOL
Royal Albion, Maidstone

USER FRIENDLY
The Britannia, Margate

SUN FEB 4th

WHERE'S MY THING
Beacon court, Gillingham (3.30pm)

FACE TO FACE
Black Horse, Monks Horton

BILL BARNACLE JAZZ BAND
Louis Armstrong, Dover

USER FRIENDLY
Swingate Inn, Deal Road, Dover

WED FEB 7th

SHAKE THE SNAKE
The Britannia, Margate

THUR FEB 8th

PEPPERFISH,
A.M.P.
Gee's, Sandgate

THE COUNTERFEIT BEATLES
Leas Cliff Hall, Folkestone

ROCKER
Beacon Court, Gillingham

BABY LAUREL
Neptune, Dymchurch

SIMPLE FOLK
Oranges, Ashford

MEN IN WHITE COATS
Thistle & Shamrock, Folkestone

FRI FEB 9th

BLACK CAT BONE
Happy Frenchman, Folkestone

EPICENTRE
Harp Club, Folkestone

EDDIE MARTIN BAND
(east Coast Chicago Blues)
The Soul Café, Maidstone

ANGEL
Swingate Inn, Deal Road, Dover

SAT FEB 10th

JESTER,
THE REMAINS,
SLIDER
Leas Cliff Hall, Folkestone

MIDNIGHT SPECIAL
Happy Frenchman, Folkestone

SUN FEB 11th

TERRY YANG
Swingate Inn, Deal Road, Dover

TUES FEB 13th

ORANGE STREET,
CROY, JO HOOK
Upstairs at the Garage,
Highbury Corner, London
*Call Richard on 01303 276517(h) /
01303 771245 (w) for details of coaches.*

PEPPERFISH
New Inn, Sandwich

THUR FEB 15th

HALFWAY HOUSE
Gee's, Sandgate

MEN IN WHITE COATS
Thistle & Shamrock, Folkestone

FRI FEB 16th

GLASS ELEVATOR,
CIPHER,
HINDSIGHT
Stripes Club, Folkestone Invicta F.C.

THE LITTLE ROCK BAND
Harp Club, Folkestone

WATT THE FUNK
Happy Frenchman, Folkestone

THINK FLOYD
Leas Cliff Hall, Folkestone

JOHN PEARSON'S BLUES & BEYOND
Café Pissarro's, Hastings

SAT FEB 17th

THE CASINOS,
NIL BY MOUTH
Happy Frenchman, Folkestone

PEPPERFISH
The Ship, Folkestone

JESTER
The Archer, Whitfield

BEE GEES GOLD
Leas Cliff Hall, Folkestone

CHEAP SUIT BLUES
Harp Club, Folkestone

VIAGRA FALLS
Beacon Court, Gillingham

SUN FEB 18th

INTENSIFIED,
MOUTHWASH,
PAMA,
MUTLY'S DASTARDLY SKAM,
FAT JABBA,
4ft FINGERS,
THE SPLITTERS,
PROPAGUMBHIS,
BRODIE,
THE CHEAPSKATES
Camden Underworld, London

LIVE 'n' KICKIN
Swingate Inn, Deal Road, Dover

MAROONDOGS
Black Horse, Monks'Horton

THUR FEB 22nd

PUMP ACTION
Gee's, Sandgate

MEN IN WHITE COATS
Thistle & Shamrock, Folkestone

CELL BLOCK NINE,
FRUIT BAT
Beacon Court, Gillingham

FRI FEB 23rd

JESTER
The Legion, Aylesham

CLACKETT LANE
Happy Frenchman, Folkestone

SAT FEB 24th

PAUL RODGERS,
ASIA
Leas Cliff Hall, Folkestone

JESTER
Louis Armstrong, Dover

MAD HATTERS
Happy Frenchman, Folkestone

THE COOPER TEMPLE CLAUSE
The Crypt, Hastings

FEBRUARY GIG GUIDE

SUN FEB 25th

PEPPERFISH
Churchill's, Ramsgate

JOHN PEARSON
Blundell Arms, Birkdale, Southport

THUR MAR 1st

HART and SARLES
(from Nebraska)
Gee's, Sandgate

FRI MAR 2nd

ORANGE STREET
Happy Frenchman, Folkestone

PEPPERFISH
The Star, Lydd

SAT MAR 3rd

706 UNION AVE
Happy Frenchman,
Folkestone

SUN MAR 4th

JOHN PEARSON'S BLUES & BEYOND
Ypres Castle, Rye

TUES MAR 6th

AREA 51
Integrity, 'The Studio',
Planet Laser, Canterbury

THUR MAR 8th

PEPPERFISH
Gee's, Sandgate

FRI MAR 9th

THE LEVELLERS
Leas Cliff Hall, Folkestone

BAD TO 'T' BONE
Happy Frenchman,
Folkestone

SAT MAR 10th

VIAGRA FALLS
Happy Frenchman,
Folkestone

THUR MAR 15th

INDIGO SEAL,
GULCRAB
Gee's, Sandgate

FRI MAR 16th

ZAMBU
Happy Frenchman,
Folkestone

SAT MAR 17th

JESTER
Happy Frenchman,
Folkestone

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FRIDAY 2ND FEBRUARY

6Ts

SATURDAY 3RD FEBRUARY

Jester

FRIDAY 9TH FEBRUARY

Black Cat Bone

SATURDAY 10TH FEBRUARY

Midnight Special

FRIDAY 16TH FEBRUARY

Watt the Funk

SATURDAY 17TH FEBRUARY

The Casinos
Nil By Mouth

FRIDAY 23RD FEBRUARY

Clacket Lane

SATURDAY 24TH FEBRUARY

Mad Hatters

FRIDAY 2ND MARCH

Orange Street

SATURDAY 3RD MARCH

706 Union Avenue

FRIDAY 9TH MARCH

Bad to 'T' Bone

SATURDAY 10TH MARCH

Viagra Falls

FRIDAY 16TH MARCH

Zambu

SATURDAY 17TH MARCH

Jester

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LITTLE ROCK BAND

Thursday February 1st

**PEPPERFISH
A.M.P.**

Thursday February 8th

HALFWAY HOUSE

Thursday February 15th

PUMP ACTION

Thursday February 22nd

HART 'N' SARLES

(FROM NEBRASKA)

Thursday March 1st

PEPPERFISH

Thursday March 8th

INDIGO SEAL

GULCRAB, DALI

Thursday March 15th

CROY

Thursday March 22nd

CHEAP SUIT BLUES

Thursday March 29th



LONDON SHOW AND SINGLE FOR ORANGE STREET

ORANGE STREET have their single "You Know .." due for release any time now and have a date Upstairs at the Garage in London's Highbury Corner on Tuesday February 13th.

There are no gimmicks with ORANGE STREET, just strong melodies combining with guitar-driven rhythms to create a trademark sound that is dramatic, accessible and current. The band are:

STEVE HOWARD (Lead Vocals & Acoustic Guitar): Leader and songwriter: an experienced performer who oozes charm and personality. Quite simply, a vocalist supreme and charismatic frontman.

PETE MARSH (Lead Guitar & Backing Vocals): A music degree student who has perfected his own style of exuberant lead guitar playing. His mighty Gibson riffs and clever hooks lend themselves perfectly to create the Orange Street sound.

NEIL HAYWOOD (Bass and Backing Vocals): A stalwart of the band, his versatile and thunderous bass playing provides their musical heartbeat. There's little this laid-back character isn't prepared to try, both on and off his beloved Bass.

PAUL TOWNSEND (Percussion): A Masters-degree student in percussion, he is the consummate drummer. The band's latest addition is their very own ginger monster who brings with him a monster sound of technical prowess and feel.

You can find out more about the band at www.orangestreet.co.uk

ORANGE STREET also play at the Happy Frenchman in Folkestone on Friday March 2nd.

Coaches are running to the London gig from Folkestone, Hythe, Canterbury and Medway – call Richard on 01303 276517 (home) / 771245 (work) to book your place.

Also on the bill are CROY and JO HOOK. You can find out more about CROY on www.bluepill.co.uk CROY also play at Gee's in Sandgate on Thursday March 8th.

JO HOOK will be performing an acoustic set, having also gone out with a full band over the past year or so to promote her album "Inside Out".

With what has been described as a hard hitting folk tinged sound played many venues around the UK, Europe and the USA, delivering honesty and humour to her sets which have included live performances at Glastonbury, Earth Spirit Camp and The Big Green Gathering Festivals.

Jo has built up an impressive CV throughout her career which has mainly built up around the Kent region and has seen her support both Cast and Suzanne Vega.

She was also nominated University of Kent Battle of the Bands winner in 1999 as well as appearing on local radio stations, BBC Radio Kent's Sunday Alternative Show and was runner up in Invicta Radio's Talent Quest. She also had DJ Fez from UKC Radio host a 'Jo Hook Week'.

YMWBB ON-LINE

You can view "Your Mornings Will Be Brighter" on the internet at <http://www.angelfire.com/zine/ymwbb>

And the people doing it are on the lookout for new bands they can help to promote on <http://www.unsignedbands.org.uk>

CDs are also required to be sent to the USA to go out on a college radio station.

AREA 51 IN CANTERBURY

Ashford's AREA 51 play at Integrity at 'The Studio' in Canterbury on Tuesday March 6th, when they will be on stage at 10.45pm.

The venue is at the entrance to Planet Lazer at 41 St Georges Place, Canterbury.

Further info is available from 07802 523 926 or by Email: pureland@bigfoot.com

You can also contact www.thewell.co.uk/integrity

Bands wishing to play at Integrity should contact Pureland Promotions at PO Box 761, Canterbury, Kent CT2 8GB.

ASERE – DIRECT FROM CUBA

The Forum in Tunbridge Wells continues its highly acclaimed world music and Salsa programme on Thursday February 1st with an appearance from the latest hot names in Cuban Salsas, the hugely acclaimed ASERE.

ASERE first came to public attention back in 1996, when Salsa legend Toto La Momposina travelled to Cuba with her manager John Hollis in search of Celine Gonzalez. They wanted to invite Celine to duet with Toto in London, but whilst in Habana, they came across a young Son band and were immediately struck by their energy, the richness of their songwriting and the powerful punch of their delivery. John returned to the UK and immediately arranged a recording

session for ASERE, which resulted in the acclaimed "Cuban Soul" album.

The sweetness of their soulful Son, and the full force of their more up tempo rhythms left many critics stunned by their tough Salsa. In ASERE you will find the Son tradition dressed in baseball caps and trainers, an expression of young urban Cuba. They are building afresh sound for a new generation, inspired by the giants of the music.

Tickets to see ASERE at the Forum are available from Longplayer and Criminal Records in Tunbridge Wells, or can be reserved by phone on 01892 530411.

Tickets can also be booked via the venue's website at www.users.globalnet.co.uk/~twforum



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